

IFW



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q78162

Yoshiyuki FUKUMOTO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/697,124

Group Art Unit: 2627

Confirmation No.: 8462

Examiner: Jefferson A. EVANS

Filed: October 31, 2003

For: MAGNETORESISTANCE DEVICE WITH A DIFFUSION BARRIER BETWEEN A CONDUCTOR AND A MAGNETORESISTANCE ELEMENT AND METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

**TABLE OF CONTENTS**

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS.....	2
REMARKS.....	15